

# EQUESTRIAN & Real Estate News



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## *How To Participate in The Rose Parade as an Equestrian*

*While watching The Rose Parade every year, do you ever wonder what is required to participate? To get you thinking for next year, here is a look at what the requirements are. If you think it's too early to start thinking about next year's parade, think again...the entry deadline is right around the corner in May. Please note the following information is based on the past years requirements, so of course it is subject to change. For the most up to date information, please visit [www.TournamentOfRoses.com](http://www.TournamentOfRoses.com).*



Each year, the parade is held on January 1st, except when the 1st falls on a Sunday, so next years parade will be held January 2nd, 2012. The Parade is enjoyed by millions every year, is broadcast in over seventy-five countries and viewed by almost one million spectators along the 5.5 mile parade route. In determining their selection, they look for equestrians and groups that are unique in breed, tack and costumes. All riders are required to have parade experience and be at least 16 years old.

Equestrians who will participate in the Rose Parade also gather for a pre-parade Equestfest where they get to display their talents. Approximately 20 groups will be invited to participate.

To apply as an equestrian participant, you can get the application on the website above and the submission criteria is as follows:

☛ **Presentation:** submit your application material in a three-ring binder. Make a copy for your use since the material becomes the property of the

Tournament of Roses and will not be returned to you. Use care when preparing your documentation: incomplete and/or confusing material will not be considered.

☛ **Application Form:** submit one completed form for each: 1) rider, 2) out walker, and 3) coach/wagon rider (either passenger or driver). Include attachments if you need more space than provided on the form. Place completed Marshal's Application in front of all Applications in the binder.

☛ **Equestrian Unit Description and Layout Form:** submit one completed form for your entire group.

☛ **Equestrian Group Roster:** submit one completed form for your entire group. If you are including applications for 'back-up' participants, please identify them as 'alternates' in addition to including the roles for which they are providing back-up.

☛ **Supporting Material:** include a color photo (or color copy) of each participant and horse plus a video of your group in the actual costumes/tack to be worn in the Rose Parade. You may also include other material you think best portrays your group's skill, experience, and unique qualities.

☛ **Submission:** for application deadline is **Check The Website (some time in May)** Applications received after due date will not be considered. Submit your application package as early as possible. The longer you wait to submit it, the less time they have to review, and the greater the risk that they may gloss over details you consider important.



## Equestrian Events January 2011

- **Jan 1, Sunland/Tujunga** - Free Horsemanship clinic! Special Offer! Bring your horse to the Weston Transformation Workshop, 1st Saturday of every month, Celie 818-352-7709 or cw@celieweston.com
- **Jan 1, Ramona** - Ranch Sorting & Shootout, CowHorse Ranch Cattle Club, Every Saturday, www.cowhorseranch.com
- **Jan 2, Hemet** - 12 Acre Obstacle Course, Cactus Valley Equestrian Center, first Saturday of every month, 951-766-0246 or info@cactusvalleyequestriancenter.com, www.cactusvalleyequestriancenter.com
- **Jan 7-9, Burbank** - Frontier 101 Productions Rodeo, Los Angeles Equestrian Center, Denny Pickett 323-359-a7637
- **Jan 8, Ramona** - Ranch Sorting & Shootout, CowHorse Ranch Cattle Club, Every Saturday, www.cowhorseranch.com
- **Jan 8, Burbank** - Saddlebred & Western School League, Los Angeles Equestrian Center, Elizabeth Curren 626-487-7470
- **Jan 14-16, Burbank** - Winter Madness Reining Show, Los Angeles Equestrian Center, Track One Events at 714- 444-2918, www.trackoneevents.com
- **Jan 15, Ramona** - Ranch Sorting & Shootout, CowHorse Ranch Cattle Club, Every Saturday, www.cowhorseranch.com
- **Jan 15-16, Hemet** - Working Cow Horse Clinic with Sandy Collier, Cactus Valley Equestrian Center, Steve Nersasian 951-766-0246, www.cactusvalleyequestriancenter.com
- **Jan 21-23, Burbank** - Opener Hunter/Jumper Show, Los Angeles Equestrian Center, Langer Equestrian Group 818-567-7317.
- **Jan 22, Ramona** - Ranch Sorting and Shootout, CowHorse Ranch Cattle Club, Every Saturday, www.cowhorseranch.com
- **Jan 22, Anza** - Open House Bar-B-Que and Problem Solving Demonstration, For additional information, please call 760-285-0160, email sheryllynde@yahoo.com or visit sheryllyn-declinics.com
- **Jan 28-30, Pomona** - Sierra Empire Arabian Horse Show, Benefiting Ronald McDonald House in Loma Linda, Jackie Williams 760-868-4405 www.sierraempireaha.org
- **Jan 29, Ramona** - Ranch Sorting & Shootout, CowHorse Ranch Cattle Club, Every Saturday, www.cowhorseranch.com
- **Jan 29-30, Burbank** - Winter Dressage Show, Los Angeles Equestrian Center, Cornerstone Ltd. at 818-841-3554



If you have an event that you would like me to include in an upcoming newsletter, email me the information at [Devon@LandAndEstateHomes.com](mailto:Devon@LandAndEstateHomes.com)

## A Resolution To Keep

To most of us, a New Year's resolution is a commitment or a target an individual sets at the beginning of a new year of-ten to change a habit or a lifestyle that they don't want to continue in.

It is important to note that, different cultures have different dates for their New Year. This is due to the different type of calendar these cultures use. Most people in the world mark their years based on a 365 day solar calendar which starts on 1st January.

However, no matter the type of calendar one uses, the New Year denotes a new beginning and thus an appropriate time to make resolutions for the coming year.

### History of New Year's Resolution

The tradition of New Year resolution as we know it today started way back in 153BC after the Roman Senate declared that the year should start of 1st January.

Janus, a Mythical King of early Rome was placed at the head of the calendar. He had two faces. It was believed that he could look back on the past events and forward to the future. Janus became the symbol for New Year's resolutions.

On the New Year's Eve, many of us look back at the past year and evaluate the achievements and the failures that we may have attained. This also offers one an opportunity to reflect on the coming year and see where they want to be and what to they want to achieve, thus setting the goals appropriately.

Common examples of resolutions that people make are listed below.

- Spend more time with the family
- Get out of debt
- Stop smoking
- Stop drinking
- Get fit
- Learn something new
- Volunteer and help others
- Take a trip



Regardless of what the resolution may be, it is important to make a good resolution that you can follow through and keep.

### How to keep your New Year's Resolution

Chances are that you have made a New Year's resolution in the past and you never kept it. We all know the frustrations that you felt at the end of the year when you were reviewing them and have all been there.

There are many recommendations on how to keep your resolution. What is important is that you can stop the cycle this year by putting in place some or all the recommendations below.

#### 1. Plan ahead of the New Year

Planning ahead always give you time to sift through issues without being harassed. This also helps you identify what is important to you and the changes that you really need to make soberly. (cont. Pg. 4)



### Cape Cod Beauty

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*Most folks are like a barb-wire fence, they have their good points.*

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**A Resolution to Keep (cont. from Pg. 2)**

If you don't plan ahead, you run a risk of making a resolution because everybody else is making some at the New Year's party. Resolutions made this way are hardly kept.

**2. Announce your Resolutions**

When you talk and tell other people such as friends and family about what your resolutions are for the year, this gives you additional impetus towards your goals. People around you will act as a check; especially against a habit that you want to stop. You will find yourself frequently being prodded to go on.

**3. Be Realistic.**

You will not be doing justice to yourself if you start setting goals that are way beyond your reach. make steps that get you to where you want to be.

**4. Be Specific**

Don't make resolutions because they sound good to hear and yet they are vague and ambiguous. A resolution like "I will lose weight this year" does not mean much. But when you break it to the value and set a time to achieve it, then it becomes specific. Being specific helps you assess if this is a goal that ranks high in your life in terms of importance. You therefore end up making resolutions that add value to your life and you will have a motivation to keep.

**5. Make a plan and track your progress**

It is a good practice to make a plan before you embark

on something. Stick the plan up or keep it somewhere you frequently look at. This will act as a reminder. It is recommended that you record your progress every time you achieve a milestone in your plan. You will be pleasantly surprised when you find yourself motivated to stick to your resolution.

**6. Change your Environment**

This is especially true if your resolution involves breaking a bad habit, let say drinking alcohol. You simply cannot keep hanging around bars and clubs and not expect to indulge in drinking.

**7. Find alternative to behaviors you want to cut**

One thing that you need to realize is that the behavior you want to change or cut was fulfilling something in your life. Find an activity or something else to replace the satisfaction you were deriving from it.

Now you are well equipped to make your New Year's Resolution more informed and this time you will have a higher chance of following them through and achieve them.

